



Docket 17006CON1

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants: AOKI et al.	)	O. Chernyshev.
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Serial Number: 09/812,113	)	Art Unit 1646
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For: METHODS FOR TREATING NEUROMUSCULAR	)	
DISORDERS WITH BOTULINUM TOXIN	)	
<u>TYPES A AND B</u>	)	Irvine, California

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Commissioner of Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

**This response amends claims 1 and 12 (see pages 14-15 below).**

**This response is prepared in accordance with the January 31, 2003 U.S. PTO official gazette notice entitled "Amendments in a Revised Format Now Permitted."**